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DDI and [] accompanied by []
briefed Rep. Bates in his office in the Rayburn
Bldg. from 1100 to 1215 on 2 December.

Briefing began with ad lib responses to Bates'
requests for views on the "resurgence of nationalism
in Bavaria" and what motivates De Gaulle.

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Rest of time devoted to briefing as per notes
on entire ABM, recent Soviet military developments
highlights, and ChiCom military portion of notes.
Rest of paper was not used except for brief reference
to Jordanian tension, possible ouster of US, recall
of ChiComs in Burundi.

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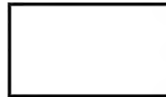
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(No follow-up questions.)

Thomas is USAF

Pat --

Smith says the ABM briefing for Bates has to be "cold turkey" reflection of the estimates; the usual "we" will not suffice, since the varying viewpoints as represented in the footnotes must be brought out.

The gloss affixed by the Director to 11-3 for the high-priced customers may be helpful in your rephrasing; it is a bootleg copy.



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